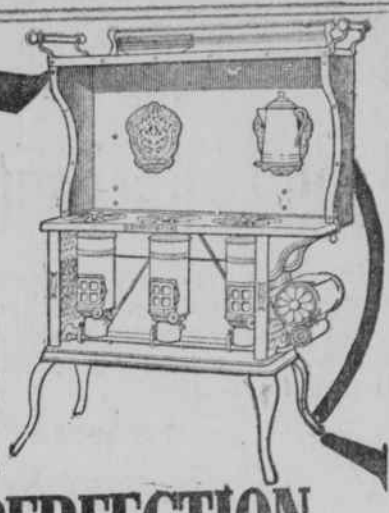


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SATURDAY, the 19th day of June, 1909, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon, in said City, the following described real estate situated in the said City of Alexandria, and described as follows, to-wit:

1. All that lot of ground with the buildings thereon in the said City of Alexandria, Va., beginning at the intersection of the north side of Gibson street with the east side of Henry street, and running thence north on Henry street 10 feet, thence east parallel to Gibson street 80 feet, 5 inches to an alley 5 feet wide; thence south on said alley 16 feet to Gibson street, and thence west on Gibson street 80 feet, 5 inches to the beginning.

2. All that lot of ground with the buildings thereon adjoining the above described property on the north, and running thence north on Henry street 10 feet, thence east parallel to Gibson street 80 feet, 5 inches to an alley 5 feet wide; thence south on said alley 16 feet to Gibson street, and thence west on Gibson street 80 feet, 5 inches to the beginning.

3. All that lot of ground with the buildings thereon adjoining the above described property on the east side of Henry street 35 feet north of Gibson street, and on the north line of an alley 5 feet wide, and running thence north on Henry street 65 feet to an alley 10 feet wide; thence east on said alley 88 feet, 5 inches; thence south 65 feet, and thence west in a direct line 100 feet to the beginning, with all appurtenances.

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SATURDAY EVENING, JUNE 12, 1909.

STORMS IN VIRGINIA.

One of the worst hailstorms in the history of Montgomery county swept over the Shawsville section yesterday evening. Hail fell as large as hen eggs, and in some cases rolled down embankments into piles several feet deep. The wind was terrific, while the rainfall is said to have been like water pouring over a dam. Small branches washed away houses and drowned cattle and hogs. Thus far no lives are lost, but many fled from their houses in water waist deep. Many bridges were also washed away. The tomato crop in that section is almost entirely destroyed, and the canneries are endeavoring to cancel their orders for thousands of dollars' worth of cans.

During the thunderstorm Thursday night lightning struck the Norfolk Silk Mills at Lambert's Point. The lightning set fire to the window frames in the tower, but the blaze was extinguished by the rain, which was falling heavily at the time. Mrs. L. H. Valden was stunned almost to death by a bolt of lightning which struck some part of her house about the same hour when the lightning struck the flagstaff on the tower of the silk mills. She was unconscious for an hour. Several stores in Portsmouth were fired by lightning bolts.

During an electric storm Thursday night former Mayor Bradford Kirby, while sitting on his porch at Suffolk, was shocked and the entire family of J. D. Luke, on the opposite side of the street, was injured, one daughter being thrown violently to the floor. In Nanamoud county, Linwood Lawshe was knocked down by lightning. The injury to growing crops is great.

Miss Hattie Patterson, while standing in front of an open window in Campbell county Thursday evening during a storm received an electrical shock which rendered her unconscious for 20 hours.

\$1.00-SUNDAY EXCURSIONS-\$1.00

Effective Sunday, June 13th, Southern Railway will place on sale at Washington Union Station, Alexandria (W & O Station), Glenvarlyn and Falls Church round trip Sunday Excursion tickets to stations Ashburn to Blumens, inclusive, limited to date of sale, rate \$1.00.

Similar tickets will also be sold to Washington, D. C., and return from stations Blue Mount, to Ashburn, inclusive. No stop-overs allowed and no baggage checked. These tickets will be sold until September 12th.

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EPISCOPALIANS ALARMED.

The Episcopal Diocesan Council of Lexington, Ky., in conference at Newport, Ky., has adopted the following remarkable resolution, dealing with present economic conditions:

"Whereas, We, the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Lexington, State of Kentucky, being a branch of God's church and assembled in council, feel deep concern over conditions created and being perpetuated by alarming, if not revolutionary, legislation, which the necessities of the lives of the needy are disproportionately taxed; and

"Whereas, Such legislation is fast destroying men's reverence for law and so tending to anarchy; therefore, we, members of the council aforesaid, conscious of the trust of righteousness committed by the Triune God to plead with all our strength and controlling forces of our land—senatorial, congressional, legislative and executive—to give us laws right in the sight of God, just and true to all the people, and we call upon every Christian organization in the land to join us in this purpose and pleading."

KILLED BY LIGHTNING.

James Banker, a deaf-mute, youngest son of Chang Buchang, one of the famous Siamese twins, was killed by lightning yesterday in his tobacco barn in Surry county, N. C. He and his son and a workman took shelter in the barn during a rainstorm. Banker's hat and shoes were torn to pieces, but the body was not bruised or mutilated. The son and workman were knocked senseless, remaining in this condition for an hour or more. The famous Siamese twins, it will be recalled, married Virginia women. The sons of the Siamese have all been well to do and prosperous. The peculiar inheritance of deafness was an affliction that added an additional strangeness to the family. The mute was bright and quick of wit, though in each branch of the family there seems to have been more or less freak of nature. The older boys of the Chang family have spread out into other sections.

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N. B.—Following schedule figures published only for information, and are not guaranteed. 7:47 A. M.—Daily Local between Washington and Danville. 8:07 A. M.—Daily—Local for Harrisonburg, and way stations. 8:17 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. Stops only for passengers for points south at which scheduled to stop. First class coaches, sleepers to Birmingham and drawing-room sleepers to New Orleans. Dining car service. 4:27 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Florida Limited. Sleeping cars between New York, Augusta, Aiken and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Dining car service. Tourist to California, tri-weekly.

4:32 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Menasha branch. 5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrensville and Charlottesville. 10:27 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans. Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service. 11:02 P. M.—Daily—New York and New Orleans Limited. All Pullman train, and observation cars to New Orleans. Sleepers to Asheville, Atlanta, and New Orleans. Sleeper to Charlotte. Dining car service.

Through trains for points south at which scheduled to stop. 6:13 A. M. and 12:23 P. M. 8:13 and 10:23 P. M. daily. Harrisonburg 12:08 P. M. week days and 9:13 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M.

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Leave Alexandria (W. & O. Station, week days at 8:21 A. M. and 1:40 and 4:28 P. M. or Blumens: 6:35 P. M. week days for Leesburg; 6:15 P. M. daily for Blumens and 9:02 and 9:22 A. M. local, on Sunday, only for Blumens.

For detailed schedule figures, tickets, Pullman reservation, etc., apply to WILLIAM G. LEHEW, Union Ticket Agent, Alexandria, Va.

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Washington Southern Ry

Schedule in effect Jan. 4th, 1909. Trains leave Union Station for Washington and points north at 8:02, 8:33 and 8:53 a. m., 12:01, 2:30, 8:07, 8:18, and 11:33 p. m., week days.

Sundays—8:23 and 8:33 a. m., 12:01, 8:07, 8:18 and 11:33 p. m.

For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4:22, 4:37, 9:22 and 11:32 a. m., 4:02, 5:17 (local), and 7:52 p. m., week days.

Sundays—4:37, 7:52, 9:22 and 11:32 p. m., 4:02, 5:17 (local), and 7:52 p. m.

Accommodation for Fredericksburg at 9:33 a. m., week days.

NORTH—Time of arrivals and departures and connections not guaranteed.

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For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5:40, 6:05, 6:30, 6:50, 7:15, 7:40, 8:05, 8:30, 8:55, 9:20, 9:45, 10:10, 10:35, 11:00, 11:25, 11:50, 12:15, 12:40, 1:05, 1:30, 1:55, 2:20, 2:45, 3:10, 3:35, 4:00, 4:25, 4:50, 5:15, 5:40, 6:05, 6:30, 6:55, 7:20, 7:45, 8:10, 8:35, 9:00, 9:25, 9:50, 10:15, 10:40, 11:05, 11:30, 11:55, 12:20, 12:45, 1:10, 1:35, 2:00, 2:25, 2:50, 3:15, 3:40, 4:05, 4:30, 4:55, 5:20, 5:45, 6:10, 6:35, 6:60, 7:00, 7:25, 7:50, 8:15, 8:40, 9:05, 9:30, 9:55, 10:20, 10:45, 11:10, 11:35, 12:00, 12:25, 12:50, 1:15, 1:40, 2:05, 2:30, 2:55, 3:20, 3:45, 4:10, 4:35, 4:60, 4:50, 5:00, 5:10, 5:20, 5:30, 5:40, 5:50, 6:00, 6:10, 6:20, 6:30, 6:40, 6:50, 7:00, 7:10, 7:20, 7:30, 7:40, 7:50, 8:00, 8:10, 8:20, 8:30, 8:40, 8:50, 9:00, 9:10, 9:20, 9:30, 9:40, 9:50, 10:00, 10:10, 10:20, 10:30, 10:40, 10:50, 11:00, 11:10, 11:20,